

PATENT APPLICATION
Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116
– **Expedited Procedure** -
Technology Center 2464
Atty. Docket: NL040209 [MS-393]

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application : **10/598,299**
Applicant(s) : **Edwin Rijpekema**
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Examiner : **Paul H. Masur**
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Title: **DATA PROCESSING CIRCUIT WHEREIN DATA PROCESSING UNITS
COMMUNICATE VIA A NETWORK**

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office action of 7 December 2009, please amend the above referenced application as follows and/or reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.

This paper includes (each beginning on a separate sheet):

- 1. Amendments to the Abstract of the Specification;**
- 2. Amendments and/or listing of the claims;**
- 3. Remarks / Discussion of issues;**